Docket No.: MUR-026-USA-PCT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE THE APPLICATION OF: K. Katagai, et al.

SERIAL NO.: 09/831,879

GROUP: 1615

EXAMINER: A. Lamm

FILED: May 22, 2001

TITLE: Adhesive Gel Compositions For Iontophoresis And Devices Thereof

THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

SIR:

TRANSMITTED HEREWITH IS AN [] RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT, [] AMENDMENT, [X] AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION IN THE ABOVE-IDENTIFIED APPLICATION.

- [] Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- [] A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- [X] No additional fee is required.

THE FEE HAS BEEN CALCULATED AS SHOWN BELOW:

| CLAIMS | REMAINING AFTER AMENDENT | | HIGH.# PREV. PAID FOR | PRESENT EXTRA | SMALL ENTITY RATE ADD'L FEE | OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY RATE ADD'L FEE |
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| TOTAL | 6 | MINUS | 20 | = 0 | X9=\$ | X18=\$0 |
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| [] FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM | | +145=\$ | +290=\$ |
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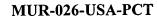
- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 20-1424. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.
 - X Any additional filing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.
 - X Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17.
 - X Any extensions of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.17.
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

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Commissioner for Patents Box 1450 Arlington, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the official Office Action mailed July 26, 2004, (the time for response to which having been extended by virtue of a petition filed under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a), and requisite filing fee filed herewith), in the matter of the above-identified application, kindly amend the same as follows: